

Evaluation #

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Wisconsin **Building Products Evaluation**

Material

16 Unit, 2-Story Apartment Module Egress Layout

Manufacturer

Wesenberg Architect 3162 Hayward Ave. Oshkosh, WI 54904

SCOPE OF EVALUATION

The 16-unit, 2-story apartment module, designed by Chet Wesenberg and to be constructed by United Construction & Development, has been evaluated for compliance with certain egress requirements of the current **Wisconsin Commercial Building Code (WCBC)**, **Chapters Comm 61-65.** Pursuant to **s. Comm 61.60 (2)**, the 8-unit, 2-story apartment module egress layout is approved for use in the State of Wisconsin to satisfy intent and the following egress provisions:

- Comm 62.0001 IBC 1004.2.1
- Comm 62.0001 IBC 1004.2.5
- Comm 62.0001 IBC 1005.2.1

This evaluation does not include the review for compliance to provisions of the current **Wisconsin Commercial Building Code (WCBC)**, other than those specifically referenced above.

The use of this 16-unit, 2-story apartment module is subject to the limitations and conditions described in this evaluation.

DESCRIPTION AND USE

The apartment module accommodates sixteen dwelling units. Eight dwelling units are located on the ground level and eight dwelling units are located on the second story. Each of the eight first-story dwelling units have individual egress doors to the exterior. The eight second-story dwelling units are served by a single interior stairway that leads to the exterior. The living rooms in the eight second-story dwelling units are directly served by an emergency

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escape and rescue opening. The emergency escape and rescue opening is afforded by the use of a 6-foot sliding glass door. Each of the emergency escape and rescue openings from the second-story living rooms leads to an exterior deck located no more than 10 feet above grade. The apartment module does not include a basement. See attached plans.

LIMITATIONS/CONDITIONS

When this 16-Unit, 2-Story Apartment Module Egress Layout is utilized, building plans shall be submitted for review in accordance with ss. Comm 61.30 and 61.31.

The Wisconsin Building Product Evaluation number and a copy of this building product evaluation approval is to accompany each plan submittal for projects that utilizes this 16-Unit, 2-Story Apartment Module Egress Layout.

Deviations from how egress is provided from the dwelling units as depicted on the enclosed plans shall void the use of this product approval.

Pursuant to s. Comm 61.60(4)(e)2, the department may reexamine an approval and issue a revised approval at any time.

This approval will be valid through December 31, 2009, unless manufacturing modifications are made to the product or a re-examination is deemed necessary by the department.

DISCLAIMER

The department is in no way endorsing or advertising this product. This approval addresses only the specified applications for the product and does not waive any code requirement not specified in this document.

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